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Atty. Docket No.: AC193/2000)

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UNDER 37 CFR §1.53
(FILING DATE GRANTED)

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed on December 26, 2001, please process the following documents:

- 1) This firm's check for \$870.00 which includes the filing fee and surcharge for Declaration;
- 2) Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- 3) an original copy of the Notice To File Missing parts of Application;
- 4) Information Disclosure Statement and List and copies of references;

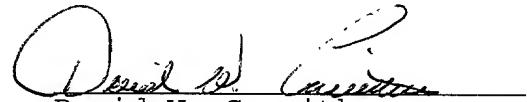
The PTO did not receive the following:
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- 5) Substitute Drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84(g); and
- 6) return postcard showing receipt of the above items.

Having now complied with all of the requirements of 37 CFR §1.53, Applicant respectfully requests that the application be placed upon the files for examination.

Respectfully submitted,

Date 2/15/02



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TRANSMITTAL OF DRAWING CORRECTION

Dear Sir:

Enclosed are substitute informal drawings for Figures 1-14
whereby the margins comply with 37 CFR 1.84(g). All of the
corrections conform to the original specification, drawings, and
claims and no new matter has been added to the drawings. Counsel
would appreciate a telephone call from the Patent Office promptly
if there are any problems with the drawings.

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$42.
 - \$42 for 1 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 477.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:

- drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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